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PREFORM

REQUEST FOR REFUND UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 1.28

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Dear Sir:

The applicants respectfully request a refund of the excess fee amount previously paid in the above-referenced application. The applicants' transmittal letter and filing receipt showing that they filed their application claiming small entity status in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.27(c) is included herewith. This request is being filed within three months of the

date that applicant submitted the prior payment as a large entity. Accordingly, applicant requests a refund in the amount of \$465.00.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: September 16, 2003

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